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NEW YORK, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1888.

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THURMAN'S DAY

The Old Roman in Fine Shape for To-Night's Rally.

"I Can Make 10,000 People Hear My Voice," He Says.

He Receives Many Distinguished Callers at His Hotel.

Final Programme for the Evening's Celebration.

Judge Thurman pursued his usual custom this morning.

Having bowed his last visitors out at midnight the Old Roman enseonced himself in the easiest chair in room 83 at the Fifth Avenue Hotel and was soon deep in the perusal of Horace in the original.

When the little clock on the mantel told the hour of 2 o'clock the student closed his book and leisurely disrobed and went to bed. ago held the frame of the magnetic man from Maine, but the plain and simple Democrat from Ohio slept sweetly and soundly.

been to bed at 2 and up at 11 o'clock. There must be no exception, and Private Secretary B. A. Cowan left strict orders with the clerk that Mr. Thurman must not be disturbed, even for the delivery of a telegraphic despatch, until he had been heard from. He was not "heard from" till after a hearty breakfast at 11.30.

RECEIVING VISITORS. o'clock S' L. M. Barlow, Sub-Treasurer Canda, ex-Mayor Edson, ex-Mayor Grace and J. Bachrach, of New York, and M. Bernstein, of Buffalo, all good Democrats, called and left their cards [So did Steven B. Elkins, who, though a red hot Republican, declared proudly and warmly that he was a stanch admirer of the old statesman, having known him many years as an honest

and an upright man.

At 9.30 the two younger Allens, son and grandson of the original Allen, had had their sleep out in an adjoining room, and paid a morning call to their ancestor.

GREETING THE REPORTERS. Reporters in the corridor heard the elder Thurman greet them with a hearty "Well, well, boys! Good morning. You are out early."

At 10.30 S. L. M. Barlow called again and finally induced the clerk to send his card to Judge Thurman's team.

Judge Thurman's room. It was answered by an invitation to him to

come up.

Mr. Barlow was with his old friend fifteen minutes, and on reaching the lobby again he said to an Evenino World reporter: "Judge Thurman has spent a refreshing

night.

He has almost lost his neuralgia and his he has simose tost his heuraigis and his hearseness is quite gone. He was very hearty and jocose, and said to me: 'I don't know how many people I can make hear my voice, but I think I can make 10,000 people hear."

HE WAS AN OLD FRIEND. Mr. Barlow has been on terms of personal and political friendship with Judge Thurman for thirty years. Mr. Thurman spent a month at his city house and two months at his coun-

at his city house and two months at his country residence on one occasion.

The lobby of the Fitth avenue was thronged with Democrats, big and little, by 11 o'clock, and on every side were heard expressions of regard and admiration for the ancient Ohioan. His simplicity and downright honesty commend themselves to plain men of

every party.

Joseph Pole and W. W. Armstrong, Appraiser of the Port and Postmaster of Cleveland respectively, spent ten minutes with Mr.

Thurman and came down smiling. They declared that they had never seen Mr. Thurman feeling better.

feeling better.

N. Hill Fowler, a white-haired patriarch of four score, who wore a knotted silk bandanna aboat his throat, was given a moment with Judge Thurman. He has known Thurman fifty years, and knew President Cleveland's father.

Sergt. Tims, of the Nineteenth Precinct, has had command of the police arrangements at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to-day. Up to 2 o'clock a squad of ten men from the Twenty-eighth Precinct, headed by Roundsman Brush, were distributed in and about the house.

A MORNING LEVEE. August Belmont and Gen. Fullerton, of St. Louis, succeeded in gaining admittance to Judge Thurman's room, and each declared but to be in fine trip.

Thorne, William C. Ewing and Thomas A CRY FROM JACKSONVILLE.

TO-NIGHT'S GREAT GATHERING.

Everything is in readiness for the great outpouring of the New York Democracy at Madison Souare Garden to night in honor of the Noble Old Roman, Allen G. Thurman. And a notable event it will be. Judging from the wonderful enthusiasm which his coming has aroused among all classes of our citizens it is not too much to predict that it will be the most imposing political meeting ever witnessed in this city.

INSIDE THE OLD GAEDEN.

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Madison Square Garden itself can accommodate on a squeeze over 16,000 people, and that every square inch of standing and perching room will be occupied to-night there is not the slightest doubt. There are too many not the slightest doubt. There are too many thousands of good Democrats in the metropolis who are fairly wild to get even a glimpse of the stalwart form of the Oid (Roman, to say nothing of listening to the words of wisdom and encouragement which will fall from his lips, to miss such an opportunity of paying their respects to their idel and honoving the great principles of which he is the foremost representative.

GAY DECORATIONS. No expense has been spared by the Na-tional Committee in decorating the building tional Committee in decorating the building in a manner befitting the occasion, and when it is thrown open to the public to night it will be gay with flags and many-colored banners strung from wall to wall and pillar to pillar, and forming a brilliant canopy over the heads of the monster audience. The music for the occasion will be furnished by Cappa's band, which will be stationed at the south end of the garden opposite the speakers' stand.

GOOD SEATS FOR ALL.

With the exception of the places for the officers of the meeting reserved on the main stand and the boxes the entire hall will be thrown open to the public, and those who come earliest will get the best seats. The main floor will be provided with chairs, so that the regular seating capacity of the garden will be increased by just so much.

The direction of affairs for the evening will be in the hands of big John Martin, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Democratic National Committee, and he has chosen as his chief aids Commissioner Thomas S. Brennau, Tammany's stalwart standard-bearer, and Col. Edward Gilon. They will have a hundred assistants, who will look after the scating of the audience, and Inspectors Williams and Steers will be on hand with a large detachment of police to see that order is preserved both inside and out of the building.

ing.

The police will arrive at the Fourth avenue side of the Garden at 7 o'clock, and at 7.39 the doors will be opened to the from Maine, but the plain and simple Democrat from Ohio slept sweetly and soundly.

Mr. Thurman's custom for years has speakers arrive and take their places on the stand.

THE START FROM THE PIFTH AVENUE.

According to the programme the speakers will all assemble at Judge Thurman's room in the Fifth Avenue Hotel at 7.30 p. M., where they will be met by their escorts and taken over to the Garden in carriages.

Jidge Thurman will go over with Chairman William H. Barnum, of the National Committee; Gov. David B. Hill, with Senator A. P. Gorman; Gov. Robert S. Green, of New Jersey, with Senator M. W. Ransom; Senator D. W. Voorhees, with M. A. Tarpey; P. A. Collins, with John S. Barbour; Gov. Chauncey F. Black, of Pennsylvania, with Miles Ross; Senator J. C. S. Blackburn with Hiram Atkins and Senator John E. Kenna with William L. Scott.

A REGIMENT OF MUSICIANS.

The party will be accompanied to the Gar-len by Siebold's band of sixty pieces, and a den by Siebold's band of sixty pieces, and a column consisting of representives of all the local organizations, clubs and associations which take part in the meeting. At the Garden the band will separate into three divisions, which will station themselves at the out-door stands of Tammany Hall, the German Democracy and and the Democratic clubs respectively, the County Democracy having engaged Bayne's Sixty-ninth Regiment Band for its overflow stand.

stand.

When the speakers enter the hall the Campaign Glee Club, with its volunteer singers, assisted by the Beethoven Society, will tune up and welcome the distinguished guest of the evening with "Hail to the Chief." while Cappa's Band will get its work in at the close of the anthem and keep the enthusiasm of the audience up to the boiling point.

WHEN THE MEETINGS OPENS. As soon as the cheering for the speakers is over—and depend upon it, there will be no end of enthusiasm unbottled in that form— Chairman Brice, of the National Campaign

Chairman Brice, of the National Campaign Committee, will come forward and introduce Roswell P. Flower, the presiding officer of the evening, who will be the only one to make a speech before Judge Thurman has his say. His remarks will be brief and to the point, and after a few formalities, such as reading the names of officers and the resolutions, the speaker of the evening will be presented.

It is said that 'the stout old leather armchair, which was used by the Old Roman on his trip from the West in Col. Brice's private car, and is the twin brother to the one in the veteran's private library at Columbus, will veteran's private library at Columbus, will be upon the platform this evening for his es-pecial use and delectation.

ORATORS IN THE GARDEN.

After Judge Thurman the speakers will be After Judge Thurman the speakers will be introduced in the following order: Gov. Hill, Gov. Green, Senator Voorhees, P. A. Collins, Senator Blackburn, Senator Kenna and Gov. Black. After the meeting is over Judge Thurman will be immediately driven back to his hotel, where he will remain quietly and deny himself to visitors in order to get as much rest as possible before his trip to Newwelt to poerson. lewark to-morrow.

Newark to-morrow.

The Tammany stand will be presided over by Gen. John Cochrane, and the speakers announced are Daniel Dongherty, W. Bourke Cockran, S. S. Cox, F. B. Spinola, George H. Forster, M. P. Holohan, Thomas F. Grady, Thomas J. Creamer, Jacob A. Cantor and Germain Hanschel.

UNDER THE COUNTIES BANNER.

The County Democracy stand will be presided over by Justice Henry Murray, and among the speakers will be Col. Fellows, Edwin L. Abbett, Denis A. Spellissey and James Fitzgerald.

Gen. Franz Sigel, at the German stand, will marshal as talkers Dr. Louir P. Schneider, Edward Grosse, Dr. Frech, Samuel D. Sewards, Marcus Otterbourg, Edward J. F. Tamsen, Judge Nehrbas and August Kiernan.

St. Louis, succeeded in gaining admittance to Judge Thurman's room, and each declared him to be in fine trim.

An Evening World reporter was admitted at 11.20 and basked in the sunshine of Allen Granberry Thurman's honest face for five minutes, clouds of smoke from a fragrant Reina Victoria which the Old Roman was enjoying, occasionally obstructing the view.

Mr. Thurman was in his favorite and famous lounging attitude, his legs crossed, and he chatted comfortably of the campaign prospects. He was exceedingly cheerful and wished he might shake hands with all his New York friends.

Judge Thurman replied, in response to a query, that he should not talk extemporaneously, using no notes save certain tabulated figures not easy to fix in the memory.

Then the inexorable Major Plunkitt, who seemed to think he had restrained himself in a manner to be commended, lerked his thumb on his shoulder, and, with a laconic "Time's up," showed the reporte.

A complete list of those who sent up their cards to Judge Thurman this morning includes, besides those mentioned allove, R. C. Karns, of California; Jeff Chandler, George Van Vleit, Elwood E.

HELP US TO FIGHT OFF THIS TERRIBLE PLAGUE, SAY THE PHYSICIANS,

There Is a Pressing Need of Funds and the Appenl Is to the Whole Country-Yellow Jack's Ravages Not Yet Stopped-More Cases and an Ominous Death-Roll-Nurses and Dectors Needed.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 6 .- At last the copie who have so long and so heroically fought fell disease and relieved those rendered destitute through its effects upon business, have been compelled to give up their independence and appeal to a generous public for aid.

This result has been brought about by the alarming increase of new cases, the illness and death of a number of physicians, and, finally, the exhaustion of the fund which has been devoted to the payment of nurses, the purchase of provisions and other relief.

The answer to this appeal, which was signed by Dr. Neal Mitchell, Acting Mayor Gerow and P. McQuaid, of the Auxiliary Committee, was almost immediate, for Dr. F. H. Caldwell, of Sanford, has responded in person to assume control at St. Luke's Hospital, left without a medical attendant by the illness of Drs. Fernandez and Stollenwerck. Drs. Fernandez and Leonard are improving, but Dr. Stollenwerck has sufferered a relapse and may die. and may die.

Fifty-one new cases were reported yester-Fifty-one new cases were reported yester-day, but that does not represent the number who were attacked, for many cases are not reported, among them being Rev. J. H. Sharpe and wife.

It is this failure to report cases which makes the death rate appear greater than it is in reality.

The case of Mrs. Storck, who was reported to have died of beart disease is a wartisplant.

The case of Mrs. Storck, who was reported to have died of heart disease, is a particularly sad one. There is no doubt that she died of yellow fever, and her body lay in the house for thirty hours, with her husband sick with fever and her children absolutely starving. Additional nurses and doctors are now an absolute necessity if the fever patients are to be properly cared for and the mortality kept down. All those who have so kindly offered their services are now given an opportunity their services are now given an opportunity to exhibit their heroism by promptly re-sponding to Jacksonville's appeal.

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New cases are being reported honrly, and the number to-day promises to exceed that of yesterday, if possible. Relief cannot come too soon.

The work of depopulating the city and removing from the microbes' reach the material for its deadly attack, is going on systematically and as rapidly as the annoying quarantine regulations imposed by Surgeou-General Hamilton will permit.

A thorough canvass of the city is being made, the people being given their choice of going to points north or northwest or to new camps to be located at a distance from the city, in Duval County.

The new hut camp is to be established on the Florida Railroad and Navigation Company's line seven miles from the city, twenty acres having been purchased for the purpose, and the sawmills of Clark, Hunter & Cashen are getting out the lumber for it. For a temporary camp a requisition has been made upon the Government for 200 new tents from Egmont, Ky. The new camp will be known as Camp Mitchell, in honor of the President of the Board of Heaith.

The conference with Dr. Hamilton at Camp Perry was not very satisfactory. That official stood upon his dignity and said that he did not propose being bulldezed, but he had nothing to offer the representatives of a stricken people for their relief, beyond again recommending them to ascertain if North Carolina towns would give them refuge. If they would, he would "see about it."

President McQuaid has made requisition on the Washington authorities for funds to pay for sanitary work and guarde.

Everything at the Sand Hills is in splendid condition and the new ward, which will accommodate thirty additional patients, will be completed by Saturday. Dr. Solace Mitchell, in charge, discharged four male patients as cured yesterday.

cured yesterday.

JACKSONVILLE'S CRY HEARD.

Mayor Hewitt Issues an Appent for Funds for the Fever-Stricken People. Mayor Hewitt this morning issued the folowing appeal for aid for the Jacksonville

vellow fever sufferers: To the Public:

The fever-stricken people of Jacksonville, who have heretofore declined assistance, at length appeal to the public for help in their calamity. The Mayor of this city will receive and daily forward all contributions which may be sent to aim, and trusts that the response will be as generous as the emergency is great. Adram S. Hewitt, Mayor.

An effort is being made by residents of Jacksonville now in New York City to establish here a regular headquarters for refugees from the stricken city, and also to organize a bureau for rendering assistance to the yellow fever sufferers in the South.

low fever sufferers in the South.

The prime movers in the matter are Capt.
C. E. Garner, of the steamboat Manatee, which carries the United States mails on the St. John's River: C. J. Britz and J. M. Coleman, both merchants of Jacksonville, all of whom abandoned that city soon after the epidemic broke out.

They say that there are more than one hundred Jacksonvillians in this city and many more in the vicinity, and they have issued a call for a general meeting to be held in parlor 217 at the Grand Central Hotei, Broadway and Third street, at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon. They have the addresses of many of these Jacksonville people already, but they want to reach them all so as to have as full an at-

tendance as possible.

Committees will be appointed to visit business houses here dealing with Jacksonville, and means will be devised to assist many refugees who came here without friends and

refugees who came here without friends and money, as well as the sufferers who are imprisoned in Jacksonville.

All communications from residents of Jacksonville who are now living near New York may be sent to Mr. C. J. Britz, whose address is 225 East Seventieth street.

Capt, Garner says: "I want to thank TEE World and The Evening World both in behalf of the people in Jacksonville for the splendid service they have done us since the breaking out of ehe fever. They are the only papers which have given the public a true picture of the exact state of affairs down there and shown exactly how bad it is.

bad it is.

"Even the people of Jacksonville rely on
The World for accurate news regarding
their own affairs, and are grateful for its earnest and courageous work in their be-

"Give Him 82 and Let Him Guess," We once heard a man complain of feeling badly, and wondered what allet him. A humorous friend raid, "Give a doctor \$2 and let him guesa." If the sax a cuting sature on some doctors who don't always guess right. You need not guess what alls you when your food don't digest, when your food don't digest, when your food don't digest, when your head aches every day, and you are languid and easily fatigued. You are billous, and Dr. PIERCE'S PLAKASAY PURGAYIVE PELLETS will bring you gut all right. Smail, sugar-coated, easy to take. Of druggists.

MR. SIMMONS HADN'T HEARD IT. The Report That He Was to Be Tammany's

Candidate for the Mayoralty. The summer heat is about over, and the preparing slates.

As might be expected, the Solons are & work in selecting candidates for Mayor. The latest rumor is to the effect that Tammany

"What newspapers made that announcement?"

On being told he remarked: "That is the first I have heard of my name being mentioned for Mayor. You will oblige me by saying that I am in no sense a candidate for the nomination for Mayor."

Mr. Simmons begged to be excused from answering any further questions.

Several Tammany Hall leaders who were spoken to in regard to Mr. Simmons's candidacy said that no one had any authority for mentioning his name in connection with the Tammany Hall nomination. They admitted, however, that Mr. Simmons would make an available candidate and might be considered "on the list."

list."

Sheriff Grant said: "As far as I know, Tammany Hall has not considered candidates for the Mayoralty or any other office. It is too early. Wait until the State ticket is nominated,"

nated."

Thomas F. Gilroy—There is all sorts of gossip flying around, but you can rest assured that Tammany Hall has not agreed upon any man for Mayor. When the time comes we will nominate a man for Mayor who will be acceptable to the people of this city. Commissioner Croker and Commissioner Purroy could not be found, as they were busy preparing for to-night's great Thurman dem-onstration.

TO CAPTURE DETROIT.

Canadian Licutemant's Plans to Invade the United States.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORKS OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 6. - The Government nave ordered an immediate investigation into he conduct of Lieut, G. H. Douglas, of the Twenty-fourth Battalion, Chatham, who a

Twenty-fourth Battalion, Chatham, who a few days ago over his own signature in the Toronto World unfolded a plan for the capture of Detroit.

"There are," says the Lieutenant, "eight large United States cities within convenient striking distance, and our militia can be concentrated at any one point, while the Yankees will be distributed in garrison. Our prime move would be the capture of Detroit, and if done with a brilliant it rush would easily fall into our hands.

"It could then be fortified and held by 10,000 men against any odds, and as provi-

"It could then be fortified and held by 10,000 men against any odds, and as provisions would be abundant there it could hold out for six months at least, besides the saving to our Government by boarding on our neighbors.

"Then Detroit commands the upper lakes.
The St. Clair Flats Canal being aiready in Canadian waters, it could easily be commanded by a battery from the Canadian shore."

shore."
Sir John A. Macdonald was greatly incensed over the affair, and was disposed to summarily decapitate the bumptious Lieutenant without investigation.

THEY WILL BE TRIED MONDAY.

Luck of Jurors Causes Delay in the Trial of the Policy Cases. The trial of the five men indicted for run.

ning policy-shops has been again postponed. This time the delay is caused by an inability to secure jurors on account of to-day being a Jewish holiday. The District-Attorney said that the same difficulty would be met with to-morrow, so the cases will have to go over until Monday.

District-Attorney Fellows has promised to give the cases the preference on Monday, and say there will be no further delay.

give the cases the preference on Mor and says there will be no further delay. The indicted men were in court this morning ready for trial and The Evenino World had its representatives there to give their testimony regarding their visits to the policy men's dens.

Editor Redpath Married. Editor James Redpath was married quietly Saturday evening at 185 Esst Sixty-third street, to Mrs. Carrie Chorpenning, a well-known society lay in Washington.

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WALLACK IS DEAD.

local political wiseacres are already busy in The Great Actor Passes Away Early This Morning.



When Wallack's Theatre was opened this morning Business Manager B. D. Stevens was called to the telephone to be apprised of the death of Mr. Wallack, which occurred at 7, 20 this morning. Mr. Stevens was shocked. He at once sent Treasurer Ackin up to Col. McCaull's house to inform him of the veteran actor's demise.

Col. McCaull was extremely foud of Mr. Wallack. The two were close friends. Col. McCaull feels his loss most acutely. Only a few weeks ago he spent some days with Mr. Wallack at Stamford, Conn.

Manager Charles. Burnham, of the Star Theatre, was also notified early of Mr. Wallack's death, and through him the news was made public.

The first remark made by several upon receipt of the sad intelligence was: "He never lived to see the name of his theatre changed." Although Lester Wallack's Theatre to that the change of name of Wallack's Theatre to that

WALLACE BORN IN AMERICA. MALLAGE BORN IS ASTRICA.

Although it has been the general belief for many years that Lester Wallack, the famous actor and manager of New York's leading comedy theatre, was an Englishman born, the fact is that he was a native American. He was born in this city in the year 1820, while his father an impother were in this country on a description.

lramatic tour.

He only remained in this country for two months after his birth, when his parents re-turned to their native land, and the future star comedian bassed his boyhood in Eng-

liberal education, in-tending him for a mili-

tary career.

He had already obtained his commission

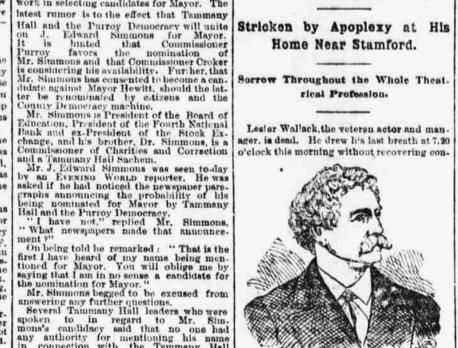
PREFERRED THE STAGE TO THE ARMY. Surrounded during all his early life by the influences of the stage, and inheriting from his family those histrionic talents which have since made him famous, it was natural that he should look to the theatrical profession as offering the most available means for a livelihood.

He made his decision without consulting his father, and after two years of study he went to Dublin to make his first attempt

His intention was to resume character parts in low comedy, and espertally to give attention to Irish parts for he had a capital command of the dialect.

The first two years,

Liverpool, which was



Although Lester Wallack never allowed anyoue to see by anything he said that the change of name of Wallack's Theatre to that of Palmer's was at all painful to him, his friends knew that the old actor felt it keenly. The inquiries made at Wallack's Theatre are extremely numerous. The announcement that Mr. Wallack is no more has come with the force of a shock. He was much liked among the members of the profession, who seemed to think that he added dignity to their calling.

Said Manager Stevens: "The old gentleman died in harness, and it was thus that he wanted to die." Only a week ago Mr. Wallack received an offer to play in the popular theatres of New York City.



nd. Despite the fact that his father, James W. Wallack, was one of the shining lights of his profession and one of the most eminent actors of his day, he determined that his son, John Lester, should not go upon "the boards," and to this end gave him a John Lester.

As ELLIOT GRAY. In the army at the age in 'Rosedale." of twenty-two, and was about to go into the East India service when he suddenly changed his mind, being greatly influenced by his mother's wishes in this respect and abandoned the idea of an army

as a player. His intention was to

The first two years, which were spent at Dublin and some of the smaller English towns, gave him very little reputation, as he only played minor parts. Though he was well fitted for success by natural gifts of person, voice and manner, he failed to attract attention until he obtained an eugagement at the Liver Theatre in Liverpool, which was

opened in 1846 by Mrs. AS ADONIS EVERGREEN Grattan, of London. in My Awful Dad.

Then he made a hit in light comedy and venile parts, and became so much of a favorite that he had no difficulty in obtaining

engagements else-where, and during that and the following year placed all over Eng-land with such emi-nent members of the profession as Charlotte Cushman, Charles Mathews and Mme. Vestris, all of whom spoke of his talents in terms of the highest praise.
His first American engagement was in the season of 1847-8, when

season of 1847-8, when he was brought over by Manager John BarAS CHARLES MARLOW nett, and opened in the Broadway Theatre under the name of Conquer." John Lester. His coming had been announced with plenty of celal, and it proved to be the commencement of his extraordinarily successful career in this country.

His first appearance man in the rôle of Sir Charles Coldstream in "Jused Up," in which he was well received by his audience. He made his first bit, however, in an accident which occured in the scene when he stamps on the floor at the sight of the phantom. The trapdoor had been badly constructed, and, at the violent blow, gave way, letting the actor through. Although he was severely bruised he went through the play without any complaint, and the audience, symmathetic before, was simply carried away with enthusiasm. HIS FIRST APPEARANCE HERE.

A SUCCESS IN MELODRAMA

LESTER WALLACK.

In sciousness from the stroke of apoplexy with which he was attacked yesterday morning. He died at his country-seat on the Sound, near Stamford, Conn.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning he was found unconscious in his library.

When his physicians arrived at 11 o'clock they found him unconscious and breathing heavily, and after a consultation pronounced his condition dangerously critical, with but little chance of recovery.

Dr. Robert S. Wier, his principal medical advisor, remained with him all night, and towards morning it was seen that the end was near. His family were summoned to his bedside, and he passed away almost imperceptibly.

ORIEF FELT HERE.

than his old house, and came to be ac-AS MACGREGOR, knowledged as the in "Jessie Brown." standard comedy theatre of America.

WALLACK AS A PLAYWRIGHT. It was in 1863 that Lester Wallack again turned his attention to authorship, and the result of his labors was the production of "Rossedate," which proved to be the nost popular play ever produced in this country. Wallack himself played 2the leading role of Elliott Gray, and it has been played by him almost every season since that time with unversipa success.

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Among the illustrations which are given in to-day's issue is one which represents Wallack in this ever-popular role Among his other favorite roles, in which he is also here represented are Randall MacGregor in "Jessie Brown," Adonis Evergreen, the gay and festive old Lothario, in "My Awful Dad," and Charles Marlow in "She Stoops to Couquer," another of his most striking impersonations. The elder Wallack died on Christmas Day in 1864, and after that time Lester Wallack became sole proprietor and manager of the famous theatre. Many of the most distinguished actors and actresses of the past twenty-five vears have been members of his company, and a history of their achievements would fill volumes.

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Tearle.
The handsome new theatre at Broadway and Thirtieth street was opened to the public Jan. 4, 1882, with a production of "The School for Scandal," and has since been the home of the company.

HIS LAST APPEARANCE. The last appearance of Lester Wallack in public, though not as an actor, was at the notable benefit which was tendered to him by the members of the profession at the Metropolitan Opera-House on the evening of May 21 last. The play of "Hamlet" was produced, and among the cast were Edwin Booth, Joseph Jefferson, Lawrence Barrett, William J. Florence, Mine, Modjeska, Rosina Vokes, and all the other prominent members of the profession. Mr. Wallack responded to the welcome tendered to him by his friend-in an address full of good-humor and joviality. He retired from the active management of his theatre last winter, and the benefit was arranged by Managers Augustin Daly and A. M. Palmer, two of his most intimate friends. It netted \$20,000. The last appearance of Lester Wallack in

FOR THOSE BATS.

The Admirers of the Giants Keep Sending in Their Spare Change. The following additional contributions to

the Giants' bat fund were received this morn-

ing. The sums contributed by individuals is trifling and not missed, but they all help to swell the total and make the testimonial more widely representative. Total to date, A "Chip In" at R. H. Macy & Co.'s To the Editor of the Evening World.

Enclosed is \$2.50 from wenty-tree employees of R. H. Masy & Co. We want to see the Ganus get those bats, and nope others will follow our example.

25 FAPLOYEES.

Sept. 6. R. H. Macy & Co.

The Engraving Department "Chips In." To the Editor of The Econing World:
DEAR SIR: The baseball cranks of THE EVENING WORLD engraving department chip in the following for the Giants' bats: Alex. Lestic, 25 cents;
Funny Caus. 25 cents; Ed Craig, 10 cents; Lincoln
Ranfs, 15 cents; Fete, 5 cents; total, 50 cents.
Sept. 6.

Brief But to the Point. For those bats, 11 cents, Gro. Pont. Another Stereotyper " Chips In."

To the Editor of The Econical World:
Please except my dime to help buy a bat for
Danny Richardson.
EVENING WORLD Stereotyper. A Dime from Peckskill. To the Sporting Editor of the Evening World: Indioxed find to cents towards the bats for New York's great and only Giants.

Peckskill, Sept. 5, 1888. Dr. Louis Spices. Other contributions were received from Julius Benedict, 315 East Eighty-fifth street, 5 cents; F. N. H., 5 cents; Dan Gannon, Pacific street, Brook-lyn, 4 cents; Daddy and H., 2 cents.

Ruby Royal "Sec."

Deputy Sheriff Reilly Lets Forger King Get Away from Him.

A Dash for Liberty on the Way to the Tombs.

Sheriff Grant Puts His Subordinate Under Arrest.

A desperate and successful break for liberty was made by Altamont B. King, a forger, on his way from the Court of General Sessions to the ombs yesterday afternoon, if the story of Deputy Sheriff James Reilly, who had King in charge, is to be believed.

When the prisoners were taken from the pen in Part III, of the Court to be returned to the Tombs, it was discovered that there was not room enough in the van for all the entire number-twenty-three-and King was allowed to walk with Deputy Sheriff Reilly. while Deputy Sheriff Lynch drove on with the others in the van.

King is twenty-eight years of age and has a young wife and a baby of three mouths. Both wife and child and mother-in-law were in court, where he had been arraigned and his

court, where he had been arraigned and his trial fixed for to-day.

Reilly allowed the prisoner to walk ahead of him with the woman and child, and nothing more was heard of either of them until this morning, when Deputy Sheriff Reilly came into the Sheriff's office and reported to Sheriff Grant the loss of his prisoner.

He said that King appeared such a gentleman that he thought he could trust him ten feet in front of him, and so allowed him to walk with his wife. At the corner of Reade and Centre streets his attention was diverted from his prisoner for an instant, and when he looked for him he had vanished as though the earth had swallowed him up.

The women and child were there, but the prisoner had gone and left no trace.

Reilly said that he asked King's wife which direction he had gone and she pointed west on Reade street. He started in pursuit, but did not go far, thinking it better to shadow the wife and get his prisoner with her assistance.

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There are two indictments against King for forgery in the second degree.

King was arrested the latter part of July for passing two checks for \$45 each, both drawn on blanks of the Mechanics' National Bank.

One purporting to be drawn by Hugh King & Co., wholesale greeers, of 630 and 633 Hudson street, was cashed by Charles A. Brown, butcher at 636 Hudson street, the prisoner representing himself as a nephew of Hugh King. The other check appeared to bear the signature of R. Dietz & Co., and was cashed by Alfred L. Halliday, Bookeeper for Baker & Williams, of 41 Vestry street. To Halliday, King represented himself as a son of Mr. Dietz.

Both Mr. Hugh King xnd Mr. Deitz denied relationship with the young forger.

A dozen checks in the same handwriting as those passed on Mr. Brown and on Baker & Williams were passed on other parties, who failed to identify the prisoner as the man who issued them.

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It is supposed that King belonged to a gang of forgers, one of whom filled out the checks which the o'hers floated.

He did so and crossed to Jersey City, loreading her in a house in a street the name of which he could not give, but which he said he could find again. He claimed that he there learned that King had been there, changed his hat and other portions of his attire, and

his hat and other portions of his attire, and left.

Sheriff Grant did not like this story. It was the first escape he had had during his term of office, and he determined to use every effort to recapture the fugitive.

He placed Reilly in the custody of Detective-Sergt. Phil Reilly, of Inspector Byrnes's staff, and asked the Inspector for his assistance, and the country is being scoured for the fleeing criminal.

Deputy Warden Puley, of the Tombs, reported the failure to return the prisoner king to the Court this morning, and Sheriff Grant was summoned by Judge Gildersleeve to explain the reason.

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Ambrose H. Purdy is King's counsel. He says that the fellow's name is not King, and that he is very well connected. His wife retained him as counsel and exhibited a considerable amount of money. He said that he would write to King's friends, advising him to return for trial.

The officers in General Sessions recalled a singular coive dence in this escape with that of another prisoner named King during the term of Sheriff O'Brien. The deputy sheriff in that case served five years in Sing Sing for allowing the man to escape.

Deputy Sheriff Reilly, who is responsible for the present escape, has been on Sheriff Grant's staff for seven months and resides at 409 West Fifty-fourth street.

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CALLED CLEVELAND A HANGMAN.

Republican Speechmaker Causes on Incipient Riot in Elizabeth. IMPROVAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. ELIZABETH. N. J., Sept. 6 .- An exciting scene took place at the Republican banner-

raising at Elizabeth last night. Col. Fairman, the principal speaker, spoke of President Cleveland as the Buffalo hangman, which remark excited the wrath of man, which remark excited the wrath of
Conncilman Smith (Dem.), who called Fairman an idiot and shouted to him to shut up.
Smith was instantly surrounded by a crowd
of excited Republicans, one of whom struck
him, while the others jostled him into the
guiter. Smith would have been roughly
had ded but for the police, who rescued him,
Ex-Speaker John Eagan jumped on a drygoods box and started an opposition Democratic speech.

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A general row was only averted by the arrival of Chief Austin and a squad of detectives, who took the beligerent Democrats away, and the Republicans adjourned to their alpha recome. their club-rooms.

No Politics by the Knights.

INFECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, 1 PITTSBURG. Pa., Sept. 6. -A determined effort to eing made to oust Eccles Robinson, the Foreman of District No. 3 of the Knights of Labor, because of his intention to stump Indiana for Harrison and Morton. The Knights are determined to stop meddling in politics by their officials.

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